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#### Present

Harrison G. Reynolds Director of Personnel Chairman

Matthew Baird Director of Training Member

Richard Helms Chief of Operations, DD/P Alternate for DD/P, Member

> Lyman B. Kirkpatrick Inspector General Member

Director of Communications

Member

Special Assistant to the DD/I
Alternate for DD/I, Member

Lawrence K. White
Deputy Director (Support)
Member

25X1A9A

Reporter

**Executive Secretary** 

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. . . The 15th meeting of the CIA Career Council convened at 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, 17 November 1955, in the DCI Conference Room, Administration Building, with Mr. Harrison G. Reynolds presiding . . .

MR. REYNOLDS: The meeting will please come to order.

I presume you have all read the minutes of the 14th meeting. Are there any errors, omissions or additions? If not, they stand approved as here

recorded. Item two on the agenda - I wish to report that, on the promotion paper, 25X1A9A I have directed the appropriate people in my office to prepare the papers, subject to the Director's approval of the study; and on the manpower, T/O problems, John and I have arranged to have preliminary surveys, particularly with reference to immediate changes, if possible, in such papers as are necessary to effect personnel actions. 25X1A9A Is this the one on promotion? MR. REYNOLDS: I am talking about the second one now. 25X1A9A 25X1A9A That one fromotion has gone to the Director. MR. You're talking about the staffing complement and the 25X1A9A development complement. and I, MR. REYNOLDS: That is the one we are working on now, to get that going. The Deputy Director (Support) has some suggestions in connection with this so that we don't have to have a long coordination process.

COLONEL WHITE: This is a recurring problem that comes up after the Career Council, which is representing the entire Agency, has approved a paper, and we have had a few "complaints"--I guess you would call them--underneath once in awhile because it wasn't properly coordinated. My feeling is that if a paper which takes the form of a notice or regulation, or sets forth principles, is approved by this Council, where the Chief of Operations, DD/P, the DD/S, DD/I and IG, and so on, concur in the paper, that we ought to be able to go ahead and publish that without having to go through the normal coordination process, which is very time-consuming. If that is the sense of this Council, when the Chairman sends me a paper certifying that it has been concurred in by the Council, I would go ahead and publish it without going through the coordination mill.

25X1A9A	MR. KIRKPATRI	CK: Cheers.					
25X 1A9A	MR.	May I add this?	I will make sure,	Red,	that '	to the	extent

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that it is humanly possible, before the paper comes to the Council it will at least
get signed off by General Counsel from a legal point of view, and the Regulations
Control Staff from a technical point of view, so that the paper when it comes here
is legally and technically in order. But once in awhile, if it comes up awfully
fast, we won't be able to do that.
25X1A9A MR. And if they get it to us as early as possible, then we
can, as I have done, call a Career Board meeting of our own ahead of time.
MR. REYNOLDS: I think a motion on that order would be proper for the
Council to pass.
so moved. 25X1A9A
This motion was then duly seconded and passed
25X1A9A
25X1A9A MR. REYNOLDS: Item 3 on the agenda is the Fitness Report. I asked Mr.
if he wanted to come here to this meeting, because this was triggered by a25X1A9A
conversation between the Director and Mr. and Mr. said that he did
not want to come and that the way it has been put in today's agenda is perfectly
satisfactory to him.
You will note that there are three non-concurrences, by Messrs.
Baird, Amory and Kirkpatrick, and I, also, wish to withdraw my concurrence by a non-
concur, in view of a paper which has been given to me by Chief of the
Position Evaluation Division in my office, in which he comments on this paper. I
think it would be appropriate for me to read this. It is very short and concerns
the opinion of the Position Evaluation Division. / Reading 7

"The Chairman of the Career Council in his memorandum discussed the possibility that the Position Evaluation Division and the Management Staff in their survey might evaluate the necessity for each position in an organization, rather than tie this review in with the individual Fitness Report. In this connection, I believe that the determination of staffing requirements is a function of the Management Staff. However, one of their best tools for this purpose is the job information developed as a result of our position evaluation surveys. Also, Position Evaluation Division is in a position to notice apparent overlaps and duplications, which can be pointed out to Management Staff, as we have done in the past. Therefore, I believe we should take the position that the Position Evaluation Division should provide Management Staff with job information and coordinate our survey findings and T/O discussions closely with their people. However, Management Staff, not Office of Personnel, should have the ultimate responsibility for recommending to the Deputy Director (Support), the staffing requirements to be authorized for each organizational component."

That opinion, plus Mr. Baird's opinion, which is attached to this agenda, would appear to me to be sufficient to non-concur in this suggested addition to the Fitness Report.

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MR. KIRKPATRICK: Well, I don't think the Director was fully briefed on the Fitness Report, and what had gone into its preparation in its present form, and, consequently, didn't realize that this particular suggestion of his didn't fit into the Fitness Report as it is developed.

MR. REYNOLDS: That is correct.

#### . . . Off the record . . .

MR. KIRKPATRICK: Well, I think, Harry, that a memorandum ought to go from you, as Chairman of the Career Council, to the Director, saying that this matter has been reviewed by the Career Council and it is the general feeling of the Council-if the rest of the Council agrees to this -- that a Fitness Report which is designed exclusively as a personal evaluation of an individual, is not the appropriate place to conduct a job evaluation; and that if the Director wishes, as he obviously does, to have a periodic job evaluation, that the Management Staff be instructed to prepare a form for all supervisors to that end, said form to pass up through the chain of command, so that the Division Chief doesn't write off jobs that his Assistant Director has reasons for wanting. But I don't think we want to contaminate the two, because I think all dickens is going to break loose. But I think the Director just has been cognizant of the fact we have had problems with Fitness Reports, and is also cognizant of the fact that there are probably jobs that could be eliminated, and was probably trying to combine the two, which I don't think is very practical. Too often--if you did use that device--it would be used as a device to ax somebody, and the guy really wouldn't be outside of the door when the supervisor would be around asking for the slot back again.

COLONEL WHITE: What he is trying to do, I believe, he has somehow--and I don't know through what means--become impressed lately that the supervisors are not facing up to their responsibilities and either saying that people are no good or saying that people are in jobs which they don't need to have, and he is trying to force the supervisor to take a position. I am inclined to agree that the Fitness Report is probably not the best place to do that, but I do think he is going to want it done in some way, and if we are not going to do it in the Fitness Report we perhaps ought to suggest some other device.

MR. KIRKPATRICK: That is why I say have the Management Staff devise a form to be used for periodic review--

COLONEL WHITE: This may be awkward but perhaps you could devise a form and require the supervisor to accomplish that form at the same time that he makes out the Fitness Report.

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		MR. KIRKPATRICK: That would be a terrible job.	
25X1A	.9A	MR. There is a point Mr. who wrote this memorandum, 25	X1A9A
	brought ou	at, and that is that if evaluation of jobs is tied to Fitness Reports it	
	means that	you do one job today and another job again tomorrow, which is a very	
	bad way ir	which to compare jobs. In other words, from the Position Evaluation	
	Division's	survey point of view, evaluation of all jobs in a unit should be done	at
	one time,	rather than evaluation of jobs singly, because even they $\sum$ Position Eva	1-
	uation Div	rision_ couldn't evaluate jobs properly if they did it that way.	
		MR. KIRKPATRICK: I was going to say a division or office chief would p	ut
	himself in	a bad position if he tried to evaluate singly, without looking at his	•
	whole orga	anization. There is a limit as to how far you can go down the ladder an	đ
	ask people	e to evaluate jobs, because when you get below a certain level they can't	t see
	the entire	picture of what is produced. It's like asking the bricklayer to not l	ay
	bricks in	a certain place, when to not lay bricks in a certain place might affect	the
	whole stru	acture of the building.	
		MR. BAIRD: If the Director wants it, there certainly is a device to do	it,
	but I don	't think this is going to do it.	
		MR. KIRKPATRICK: I move, then, that the Chairman of the Career Council	. ad-
	vise the I	Director by memorandum that the Career Council believes this is an inadv	is-
	able metho	od to assess jobs, and that it distorts the true purpose of the Fitness	Re-
	port, but	respectfully suggest that the Management Staff be requested to devise a	· " .
	method for	r job evaluation, paying due heed to the level at which said job evaluat	ion
	is conduct	ted.	
		Second.	25X1A9A
25X	1A9A	This motion was then carried	
		MR. We stopped the presses on the Fitness Report until this r	notion
	could be ]		
25V4	_	MR. BAIRD: Good. May I ask when it now appears that they can be used:	?
25X1	ASA	MR. We were originally planning for 1 January 1956, but since	
	we have h	ad a delay of almost a month on this, I don't know whether we can actual	Lly
	do it.		
		MR. REYNOLDS: I think we ought to try for 1 January.	
		COLONEL WHITE: I don't know why we can't do it.	
25	X1A9A	MR. It's a question of printing. It will take at least a more	nth

	before we can get a supply. I agree, the higher the priority the better.
	COLONEL WHITE: If it's just a matter of the printing, to get them out
7	between now and the 1st of January, we ought to be able to take care of that.
	MR. REYNOLDS: We will get Mr. on it right away, first thing
	tomorrow morning.
	MR. KIRKPATRICK: Before we leave Fitness Reports could I beg the in-
	dulgence of this Council for a few minutes on the same subject? Just as a matter
	of curiosity, how many members of the Council send back Fitness Reports to be done
*	over again? I have a problem with people over-evaluating people.
	MR. HEIMS: I send them back all the time.
	MR. KIRKPATRICK: Some of my boysyou would think the girls who work for
	them were geniuses. I consider that anybody who gets more than half a dozen or a
	dozen in the outstanding category, verges on being in the genius category. The
	bulk of mine are down in the center of the sheet.
	MR. HEIMS: My line with these fellows is that they are supposed to cut a
	profile on this sheet, and when they mark him they are marking him against themselves
	as well, and no one is uniformly good in everything, so consequently when they show
	him uniformly good in everything it isn't the profile of a man but sort of an "idiot's
	delight." Therefore, unless they can demonstrate by some variation in the marking
	that a fellow has some strengths and weaknesses, the thing isn't going to make much
	sense to me.
25X1	A9A MR. Unless there is some "scatter," it hasn't been seriously done.
	MR. HEIMS: It's supposed to be a profile of a MAN.
	MR. KIRKPATRICK: I wonder whether, with the issuance of the new Fitness
	Report, if we might not be well advised to send a friendly little notice to super-
	visors saying: Remember, you are marking human beings, and that this is a report
	which good supervisors will look at when they are acquiring the man or interested in
	the man, and that it should be objective and highly critical. 25X1A9A
2	5X1A9A MR. When we instituted the PER we had who was
	Chief of Management Training, conduct seminars all through the Agency. That was
	not done with the Fitness Report.
25)	MR. BAIRD: They would like to do it this time.
207	It's a periectly natural thing. Too will receive
	got a fairly strong letter from the Air Force about overrating the Air Force people,
	and the damage it did, due to the copies of letters they had to send to the major
	commands.

MR. REYNOLDS: I think we ought to have briefings again on this one, Matt.	
MR. BAIRD: I don't think it has to be done clear across the board, but	
if we can get representatives from each major component and work on them so that	
they in turn can go back to their own areas with their instructions	
25X1A9A MR. Couldn't Personnel and Training jointly lay something on?	
MR. REYNOLDS: All right. If that is satisfactory to the rest of the	
$^{ee}$ Council, Matt and I will get together and do it.	
MR. KIRKPATRICK: That would be fine. That covers my point.	
25X1 MR. REYNOLDS: The next item on the agenda concerns proposed changes to	
Regulation The CIA Career Council and the Career Services." One of the	
$ \prec$ changes recommended is from the DD/I to establish a Career Service Board in the new	
Office of Basic Intelligence. Another is from the DD/S to establish a Support Career	
Service. And a third amendment is the identification of positions.	
X I would like to point out that this third amendment is very important,	
from our viewpoint, because this system is absolutely necessary in order that the	
"Career Service grade authorization," as set forth in the approved staff study on	
the "Revised Personnel Promotion and Assignment Policies" can be tabulated and used	
as a control on position authorizations at each grade for each Career Service. In	
other words, until that is approved by this Council we cannot effectively put through	
the recommendations in that study.	
25X1A9A MR. Distribution by grades, by Career Services, is essential to	
the new promotion policy, and until each position has been identified you can't	
figure out what the distribution is.	
25X1A9A MR. I think the important thing is the last sentence. That	
makes it workable.	
MR. REYNOLDS: Yes, the last sentence. [Reading] "The designation	
assigned to a position will not prohibit its occupancy by a qualified employee having	
a different Service Designation."	
25X1A9A MR. If that were not true it would inhibit all cross-fertilization.	
25X1A9A I have a question about Colonel White's suggested	
amendment. I note in this paper it is proposed there be established a Support Career	
Board and Service Designation. In Colonel White's memorandum he is asking for a	
Colonel White I wasn't clear what you Indicating Colonel White I had in	
mind. 25X1A9	ðΑ
COLONEL WHITE: I think that is an error, We don't	

contemplate having a Support Career Service as such, because we have too many dif-
ferent kinds of fish, but we did want to establish a Support Career Board, which
would be made up of the heads of all the offices, to standardize the procedures and
consolidate a position, when necessary, having to do with Career Service. So that
is an error. We don't want anybody designated as "Support."
25X1A9A MR. In other words, nobody would carry the designation of "S" -
is that correct?
COLONEL WHITE: Yes.
MR. REYNOLDS: So this memorandum should read, "the establishment of a
Support Career Board" and not "a Support Career Service"?
25X1A9A MR. Then in the table attached to that memorandum we will take
the "S" out on the line which says "SUPPORT" - "Add: Deputy Director (Support)" -
and then we will take out the "S" under "Service" and replace the "S" with a dash -
is that correct?
COLONEL WHITE: I think that will do it.
25X1A9A MR. KIRKPATRICK: How many Service Designations do we now have?
MR. I have them right here. Copies of Attachment A to
$^{\star}$ R 20-110 were then distributed to members of the Council. $\mathcal{J}$
MR. KIRKPATRICK: I think the fewer Service Designations we have, the
better, but you could have as many boards or panels as you wish.
MR. REYNOLDS: You really only have five there.
25X1A9A MR. When we add Service Designations there is a perfectly ter-
rific job in changing all the punch cards, records, and so on. For example, when
we set up IB for the Intelligence Production Service, Basic Intelligence Board, that
means that Service Designations for people will have to be changed to IB, and 25X9A2
it means a lot of routine clerical work, changing of records and IBM cards, and that
sort of thing. I just use that as an example, Von, not that I am prejudiced in any
way.
25X1A9A MR. I understand.
COLONEL WHITE: And this _indicating Attachment A to R is the way 25X1
it is set up now? The way it is here the Service Designation for all the Support
people is "S", and then other designations for the boards or panels, whatever they
may be. And that is the way it is set up now?
25X1A9A MR. Yes.
COLONEL WHITE: This wouldn't contemplate any change
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25X1A9A

	MR. By taking out the "S" as we have done.
2571404	COLONEL WHITE: I don't see that it is necessary, then, to take that out.
25X1A9A	MR. Nobody will have it then.
25X1A9A	COLONEL WHITE: For instance, in the Clandestine Services nobody has the
Designati	on "D."
	MR. Yes, there are a lot of "D" people, and "I" and "O."
25X1A9A	MR Actually they're the Headquarters people.
25X1A9A	MR. REYNOLDS: And you just have "S," you see.
	MR. Mr. Helms and Mr. Wisner are "D" and Amory is "I."
	COLONEL WHITE: I'm sorry to be causing such confusion here. Perhaps it
is best t	o keep the "S," but you also have here a designation for each board or
panel, so	you wouldn't have anyone who was just "S."
	MR. HEIMS: You are "S."
25X1A9A	MR. REYNOLDS: This paper would make you just "S."
20/(1/(0/(	MR. By putting "S" in doesn't mean that anybody has to have that
"S." In	other words, we could make this consistent by keeping the "S," and then
have a das	sh in the "Board or Panel" column, just as it is for the DD/P and the DD/I,
but that	doesn't mean anybody will ever bear that designation unless you agree to it.
25X1A9A	COLONEL WHITE: Wouldn't that be preferable?
20/1/0/	MR It would be, and it would be more consistent.
2.	COLONEL WHITE: Good. Then that is all right.
ŹŜX1A9A	The boards and panels are entirely advisory to you,
just as th	nis Board is to the Director.
25X1A9A	MR. Then we will leave the "S" in as it was originally shown on
this propo	osed revision.
	COLONEL WHITE: Yes. Right.
	MR. REYNOLDS: Are there any further comments on these three requests for
changes to 25X1	Regulation
23/1	COLONEL WHITE: Could I ask this one question, and I hesitate to even raise
it, becaus	se of the number of them we have, but is there any merit in the Intelligence
side of th	ne house, Von, in considering for some future date the intelligence officers
as a Care	er Service? I mean, you have intelligence officers in your NIS program,
where you	are going to have a separate Career Service for NIS, and intelligence officer
in OCI and	d in 00, and so forth. From an overall point of view, are we really moving
in the rig	ght direction by creating a Career Service for Basic Intelligence?

25X1A9A			
	MR.	It's part of the IP Career Service, which lumps tog	ether
all of th	e production offic	es. That is merely a panel designation. But we thin	k
of the fi	ve intelligence pr	roduction offices as the Career Service and our Board	
operates	for all five of th	nem.	
,25X1A9A	MR. KIRKPATRICK:	And this addition will be IB?	
	MR.	Yes, and it merely means that they will have a pane	:l
of their	own.		
	MR. KIRKPATRICK:	Amory says in his memo "that that office have its	3 own
Career Se	ervice Board" w	hich throws you off because it implies a Career Service	e.
25X1A9A	MR.	We tried to avoid using the word "panel" because we	e had
the old	boards and we didn	't want to appear to demote those boards. But it's ju	ıst
	he five offices.		
	Motion was	then made that the three above-discussed changes be	
4		motion was then carried	
			fonce
*	MR. REYNOLDS: I	tem 5 on the agenda are the recommendations of the De	·
	Selection Panel.	11 and at 1	+lod a
		I say I think those recommendations are excellent at	
time. T	hey seem to be two	eminently qualified people. I like the idea of send	ing
	from the Comptrol	ler's Office to Harvard.	057/4404
25X1A9A	MR.	I agree.	25X1A9A
25X1A9A		mink that is where we need it most. And	is
		nications officer he certainly deserves a recommendati	on.
of this	kind, if he wants	to do it. Is he anxious to do this?	_
25X1A2G		Yes. We had him set up for the last one, and h	ıad
him set	up at the time of		
25X1A9A		I'd like to quote to the Board, as a matter of interes	
what we	were told the oth	er day at Matt's meeting, which he chaired, when we se	
		ld by Matt's man who went up and interviewed the	
		chool, who is in charge of this Advanced Management p	
he said	they rated these	people informally among themselves for the contribution	ons
that th	ey made to the cou	rse, just as much as what they presumed the men got o	at of
it, and	that the No. 1 ma	n that they have had there from CIA was Houston, and	that
they ho	ped in the future	we would send people who could contribute over and be	yond
	b OTA stor on	organization which had to be very careful what it sai	d and

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		25X1A9A
	did. But	they really wanted someone who would be "outgoing." And I think is
	an excelle	ent man from that viewpoint, a very able fellow and he would be a very good
	man for us	3.
25)	X1A9A	Off the record
		25X1A9A
	*	MR. KIRKPATRICK: I move we approve the recommendations on
	and	to Harvard and the Armed Forces Staff College, respectively.
25>	K1A9A	This motion was then duly seconded and carried
		MR. There will be no alternates this time.
		MR. KIRKPATRICK: How many nominees did we have?
		MR. BAIRD: Just those three.
		MR. REYNOLDS: I'll tell you why, because we only got the paper which
	authorize	d the Board to do any selecting about two or three weeks ago, because it
	took so l	ong to coordinate it through the Agency.
25	X1A9A	MR. It took two months to get the thing published.
25	X1A9A	MR. We did some elimination within the DD/I and came up
	with our	
25>	X1A9A	MR. KIRKPATRICK: How many eliminations?
25)	(1A9A	MR. We had three for Harvard that we considered.
254	(1A9A	MR. KIRKPATRICK: And won out?
	K1A9A K1A9A	MR. Jay won out and was approved by Bob.
207		MR. Shouldn't all the nominations go to the Selection Panel
	rather th	nan having them screened out before they get to the Panel?
		COLONEL WHITE: I approached it a little differently this time and I
	thought :	I was rightmaybe I wasn'tbecause as I remember the tenor of our last
		on on this, when we were all beating the table here because everybody seemed
	to be wa:	iting until the last minute to get around to this, etc., we all had the on that $\underline{\mathtt{WE}}$ _ the CIA Career Council_7 should select the people to go and not
	impressi	e all the people to put in their applications and then select from that, but
	encourag	should be on the lookout and say, "Who should we send - and put the finger
	that we	did exactly that, personally. I could have nominated more than one candidate,
	on?" I	dn't think I would have a prayer of getting more than one candidate in, so I
25X1A	but I di .9A	noney on one man. I did not encourage anybody to submit applications. I 25X1A9A
		said to Saunders "I want to go to this course." I don't know
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whether that was right or not, but that is what we did.

MR. KIRKPATRICK: If we're going to do that, why do we need a Panel? If each Deputy is coming up with one candidate why couldn't this Council sit on them?

COLONEL WHITE: I'd be glad to nominate three for every course, because I think it's the type of thing our people really ought to get.

MR. BAIRD: I thought the idea was that you could nominate three, and that then you say, "These are my nominations, in this order."

COLONEL WHITE: I just thought it has been historically true in the past, not because of DD/P being in competition with somebody else, that there would be only two or three people in competition with each other and probably only one would get to go.

MR. BAIRD: The only course we have to worry about is this Harvard one. For the National War College if the Director appoints three people they don't generally look into them so far as their qualifications are concerned. But Dean \_Bishop \_ at Harvard said, "We have an awful time getting your people past our Board of Selection, because you say so little about them" - and that is one reason we have never gotten more than one.

MR. REYNOIDS: As I understood that, Matt, and correct me if I didn't understand it right, they wrote over our applications: "WORDS - WORDS - WORDS."

And we are required by Security to write them according to a form, so that we don't violate security. Then they read those things and they don't say anything.

COLONEL WHITE: I don't believe we should lay down in front of that. I don't see why we couldn't include an adequate description of a man's background. This is the first time I've ever heard this.

MR.	BAIRD:	This	is the								25X1A	۹e)
MR.	KIRKPATI	RICK:	On	you	ı can	say	anythin	g you want	to.	He's	the	
Comptroller o	f the Age	ency.										

MR. BAIRD: At least say what kind of a guy he is and what it is about him that enables him to do a good job. They want to know what kind of a guy he is, not necessarily the specific kind of work but what there is about him that enables him to do his job.

COLONEL WHITE: In the recommendations that I have written on our people they have been just letters of recommendation, I grant you, but with this kind of guidance I can write a much better letter than I've ever written on anybody in the past. We should get the right kind of guidance. I didn't know Security was putting





a damper on anybody.

25X1A9A	MR. BAIRD: They have given us a regular form to follow in the past. We
	know that Harvard had written on our applications: "WORDS - WORDS" -
until[	went up there and went through what they had on our people.
	MR. HEIMS: Is there an actual Selection Board at the Harvard Business
School	that goes over every applicant?
	MR. BAIRD: Yes.
25X1A9A	MR. In other words, our nomination isn't necessarily tantamount
to get	ting into the course.
25X1A9A	COLONEL WHITE: Has anybody discussed this with Security, that their re-
strict	ions are hurting us?
	MR. BAIRD: just came back from up there.
25X1A9A	What do you send to the Armed Forces Staff College
on a c	andidate like this?
25X1A9A	MR. BAIRD: Just his record. They never question our nominations, General
	Harvard is the only school that does.
	Mr. Reynolds was called from the meeting 25X1A9A
	MR. KIRKPATRICK: I'll act for the Chairman while he is out.
	Now, what is this "reward" you wish Mrto have?
	MR. BAIRD: The only thing, Kirk, the Selection Panel felt that here is an
obvio	usly fine guy, well qualifiedwho wanted to go to Harvard if they could spare
him	who deserves four and a half months of something, and it was suggested that
we do	n't want him to feel that he was unworthy of the choice but that this is just
not t	he particular way to reward him for excellent performance or superior performance.
	MR. KIRKPATRICK: Well, I think the purpose of the schools is also to 25X1A9A
bring	s benefit to the Agency. Sure, they are a reward in a form because they are a
nice	sabbatical from regular work. I think if there is a desire to give
a "pl	lum" in the form of four months or six months, or longer, as a sabbatical to go
back	to the academic world, then I would think that his greatest worth would be to
go to	o some linguistic center and delve into some of these weird dialects that he
doesi	n't already know, if any still exists.
25X1A9A	MR. That is exactly what I mentioned when I came back and
talk	ed to Bob Amory. I explained it in a sabbatical senseand I'm sure he would
like	to gowhich would be useful to him and to the Agency, as well as it being a

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reward, because he was twice a candidate here and failed.

MR. KIRKPATRICK: I don't see why the Chief of a 300-individual Division can benefit by the Harvard School for Advanced Management where he would be rubbing elbows with industrialists who are going back to boss big corporations. I would say 80% of this Harvard course would be of no use to him. On the other hand, I would think if we sent Jay to a university here or abroad that is specializing in languages and translation techniques, and so forth, I think it would be well worth the expenditure on the Agency's part.

MR. BAIRD: It would cost less for six months to send him to Bologna than to Harvard for four. That is the most expensive training course in the Agency. It costs about \$2,000 in addition to salary.

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MR. KIRKPATRICK: Then I'll put it in the form of a motion. I move that the Career Council advise the DD/I that they consider that Mr. should receive a sabbatical for furthering his education in the linguistic field, as appropriate. Second. 25X1A9A . . . This motion then carried . . 25X1A9A When are the nominations coming up for the next schools? MR. BAIRD: In January. 25X1A9A They're due in January? MR. MR. BAIRD: They aren't due until March but we could probably select them in January. MR. REYNOLDS: Is there any further business to come before this meeting? /No response. 7 If not, the meeting stands adjourned.

. . . The meeting adjourned at 4:45 p.m. . . .

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